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RE: *U.S. Patent Application Entitled: Method and Apparatus for Providing Personalized Relevant Information*

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a 24-page patent specification with 20 claims. The specifications constitute the application of Tony Cheng, Rajib Ghosh and Jim Donnelly. Also, included is an abstract.

This application is entitled to Small Entity Status. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$355 to Deposit Account No. 01-2508/11308.0002.NPUS00 for filing fees. Should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Deposit Account No. 01-2508/11308.0002.NPUS00.

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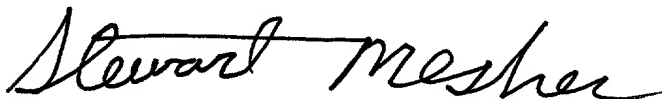
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